7050.0214 REQUIREMENTS FOR POINT SOURCE DISCHARGERS TO LIMITED RESOURCE VALUE WATERS.

Subpart 1. **Effluent limitations.** For point source discharges of sewage, industrial, or other wastes to surface waters classified as limited resource value waters pursuant to parts 7050.0200, subpart 8, and 7050.0400 to 7050.0470, the agency shall require treatment facilities which will provide effluents conforming to the following limitations:*

Substance or Characteristic	Limiting Concentration
Five-day carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand	15 milligrams per liter (arithmetic mean of all samples taken during any calendar month)

*All effluent limitations specified in part 7050.0211, subpart 1, shall also be applicable to dischargers of sewage to Class 7 waters, provided that toxic or corrosive pollutants shall be limited to the extent necessary to protect the designated uses of the receiving water or affected downstream waters.

Subp. 2. **Alternative secondary treatment effluent limitations.** The agency shall allow treatment works to be constructed and/or operated to produce effluents to limited resource value waters at levels up to those stated in part 7050.0211, provided that it is demonstrated that the water quality standards for limited resource value waters will be maintained during all periods of discharge from the treatment facilities.

Subp. 3. **Protection of downstream waters.** Notwithstanding the effluent limitations established by this section the quality of limited resource value waters shall not be such as to allow a violation of applicable water quality standards in waters of the state which are connected to or affected by water classified as limited resource value waters.

Subp. 4. **Public waters designation unaffected.** The classification of surface waters as limited resource value waters pursuant to parts 7050.0200, subpart 8, and 7050.0400 to 7050.0470 shall not supersede, alter, or replace the classification and designation of such waters as public waters pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, chapter 103G.

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